(c) and (d) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Disruption of Alliance Air's schedule

142. SHRI SANJAY NIRUPAM: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Alliance Air's schedule has been disrupted after a number of its aircraft were seconded for the Prime Minister and other VIP's;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and

(c) whether Indian Airlines has been asked to fly on these routes?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Expansion and modernisation of Kanpur Airport

143. PROF. M.M. AGARWAL: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the proposals that are under consideration of the Government to expand and modernise Kanpur Airport;

(b) whether the facilities at the airport are likely to be provided to facilitate the operation of daily flight services from Kanpur-Delhi and *vice versa;* and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDI): (a) Airports Authority of India (AAI) has no proposal, at present, to expand and modernise Kanpur Airport.

(b) and (c) No airline company has requested AAI for operation of scheduled flights through Kanpur Airport.